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Intelligence Personnel - Japanese Language Qualifications

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1. Due to the many demands for Japanese speaking intelligence officers there is none presently available for purpose indicated in Para. 1, Comment No. 1.

2. It is believed that the only source through which Japanese speaking officers can be secured is Training Branch, G-2, which office maintains liaison with Japanese Language School at Camp Savage, Minnesota.

3. This office expects to receive on or about 15 October a limited number of Japanese speaking Caucasian Enlisted men who have graduated from ASTP Japanese Language School. It is believed that fifteen (15) or twenty (20) of these enlisted men could probably be made available to the Military Intelligence Research Service. It is planned that this personnel will be given intelligence training at AAFSAT for approximately two (2) months and then be available for proposed assignment.

4. Request information as to number of these men required and whether this number should omit the intelligence training, in which case they might possibly be made available on or about 15 October 1944.

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